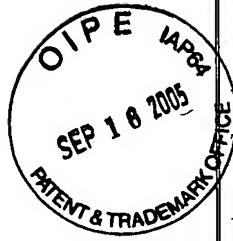


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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed on April 15, 2005, and for which a two-month extension is hereby requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.